

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

***AMENDMENT***

**Applicant:** Fink, Michael

**Docket No.:** 1071.001

**Serial No.:** 10/815,298

**Examiner:** Timothy L. Maust

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**Group Art Unit:** 3751

**Title:** Inflator for Vehicle Protection Apparatus

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION  
DATED May 31, 2006**

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

The following is responsive to the Office Action mailed 31 May 2006. Applicant has responded within the 2 month expedited response period. Applicants also respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.